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COUNTY BOARD, LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS

ADJOURNED REGULAR JUNE, A.D., 2008 SESSION

SEPTEMBER 9, A.D., 2008

MADAM CHAIRMAN AND MEMBERS OF THE COUNTY BOARD:

Your Law and Judicial and Financial and Administrative Committees present herewith a Joint Resolution increasing the Court Automation Fee from \$5 to \$7, to be collected by the Clerk of the Circuit Court effective December 1, 2008; and request its adoption.

Respectfully submitted,

Aye Nay

Aye Nay

Audrey Nye ✓ _____
Chairman

[Signature] X _____
Chairman

Vice-Chairman

Ann Elaine Gori ✓ _____
Vice-Chairman

Michael P. Vallet ✓ _____

Stephen J. Gori X _____

Carol Calabrese ✓ _____

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Wayne L. Smith ✓ _____

Carol Calabrese ✓ _____

Mona O'Keefe ✓ _____

Law & Judicial
Committee

Financial & Administrative
Committee

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Lake County currently assesses a court automation fee of \$5 as allowed by Illinois statute (705 ILCS 105/27.3a); and

WHEREAS, Public Act 94-595, which was effective on January 1, 2006, allowed county boards to authorize the clerk of the circuit court to charge a court automation fee of up to \$15; and

WHEREAS, court staff have determined that a \$2 increase in the court automation fee is appropriate at this time to offset expenses in the court automation fund; and

WHEREAS, the Chief Judge and the Clerk of the Circuit Court, who jointly oversee the court automation fund, have no objections to the proposed fee increase; and

WHEREAS, it is therefore recommended that the court automation fee of \$5 be increased to \$7 effective December 1, 2008.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by this County Board of Lake County, Illinois, that the court automation fee collected by the clerk of the circuit court be increased from \$5 to \$7, effective December 1, 2008.

DATED, at Waukegan, Lake County, Illinois, on this 9th day of September, A.D., 2008.